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4   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

5   NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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7   SELENE BALLONOFF,   Case No. 4:19-cv-01337-KAW

8   Plaintiff,   **ORDER GRANTING IN PART AND
                                                DENYING IN PART PLAINTIFF'S
9   v.   ADMINISTRATIVE MOTION TO
                                                CHANGE DEADLINE FOR FILING
10   TOM LUCAS, et al.,   HER AMENDED IFP APPLICATION**

11   Defendants.   Re: Dkt. No. 10

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13   On June 20, 2019, Plaintiff filed an administrative motion to change the deadline for filing

14   her amended application to proceed in forma pauperis ("IFP"). (Pl.'s Mot., Dkt. No. 10.) The

15   Court previously denied her IFP application, because it was incomplete, and ordered her to submit

16   an amended application or pay the filing fee by June 21, 2019. (Dkt. No. 8.)

17   In the administrative motion, Plaintiff reports that she suffered a concussion, which

18   interferes with her ability to represent herself, such that she is unable to proceed with prosecuting

19   her case at this time. (Pl.'s Mot. at 1.) As a result, Plaintiff requested an extension of time until

20   November 13, 2019 to pay court fees or to submit an amended IFP application. (Pl.'s Mot. at 1-2.)

21   More than three months have passed since the filing of the motion, such that Plaintiff's

22   cognitive abilities should not be so impaired that she cannot file an amended IFP application. If

23   necessary Plaintiff may obtain assistance from the Federal Pro Bono Project's Help Desk—a free

24   service for pro se litigants. While the Help Desk will not represent her, its attorneys may assist

25   her in filling out the amended IFP application, and Plaintiff may make a free appointment by
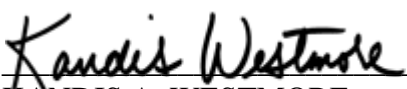
26   calling (415) 782-8982.

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Accordingly, Plaintiff's request for an extension of time to file her IFP application is GRANTED IN PART AND DENIED IN PART. Plaintiff shall file an amended IFP application or pay the filing fee by **October 18, 2019**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: September 26, 2019

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KANDIS A. WESTMORE
United States Magistrate Judge